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Corps reviews permit application to prevent erosion and protect development in Post Falls

WALLA WALLA, Wash. – The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is reviewing an application requesting a Department of the Army permit for certain work in waters of the United States. The public notice regarding the permit application listed here was issued Aug. 4, 2008.

Public Notice NWW-2007-489-C02, requested by Post Falls Highway District, proposes to retain 780 cubic yards of pit run and 150 cubic yards of boulders below the Spokane River's ordinary high water mark along 150 feet of the riverbank and discharge an additional 139 cubic yards of boulders to stabilize an additional 240 feet of the riverbank. The applicant intends to stabilize the riverbank to prevent further erosion to protect homes and utility lines located near Old Greensferry Bridge, in Post Falls, Kootenai County, Idaho. Comments must be received by Aug. 25, 2008. A copy of the public notice may be found at www.nww.usace.army.mil/html/offices/op/rf/pn/2007-489.pdf.

The Corps of Engineers is soliciting comments from the public, federal, state and local agencies, Native American tribes and other interested parties on these permit requests.

The Corps issues or denies permits for the discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States under authority of Section 404 of the Clean Water Act and for work in or affecting navigable waters of the U.S. under Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899.

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